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## VIEWS OF THE NEWS

LEONARD F. JAMES

The years of depression recall to us the paradox of a country that had no less money than it had during the boom years, but had bread lines in the cities, underfed and underclothed people, idle farms, and banks bursting with dollars. On the one hand were people who needed food desperately, farmers who couldn't raise wheat because they couldn't find buyers with cash to pay for it, and on the other hand banks which could not find borrowers because factories and businesses could not find purchasers for their products. All the elements of potential prosperity were there unlimited resources, millions of consumers needing goods, productive capacity, and plenty of capital. Yet it took years to restore confidence and set the wheels in motion. Actually it took a war and unlimited government spending to bring back anything approaching full employment. Cigarette "Money"

There is a parallel in Europe, where the Marshall Plan dollars hope to speed the recovery of nations of underfed and underclothed people who are potential healthy and prosperous peoples. It is difficult for many of us to get a clear perspective from our own land of comparative ease and plenty, for it is customary to think only through our own experiences. Perhaps an illustration will serve to highlight the tremendous contribution to world recovery the Marshall Plan has made.

## Station WCCM One Year Old

Radio station WCCM is about to celebrate its first birthday! It was just a year ago on August 6, 1947 that the new voice of the Merrimack Valley started booming over "800 on your dial" with a music and news formula.

George H. Jaspert of Andover is the founder and president of WCCM while Gordon Ley is the general manager. The operating staff that originally numbered sixteen persons has grown to twenty-two and is still expanding.

In its first year of operation, WCCM programs have added local newscasts, public service forums, baseball and racing results, and special events.

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## Governor Pays Visit To Town

### Stops In Andover On Informal Tour Of County Towns

Governor Robert F. Bradford dropped into town for an informal visit early Wednesday morning, met scores of townspeople as he walked along Main street, and held several impromptu sidewalk conferences with men, women and children during his hour's stay.

"It's the most non-political political trip I've ever made," he commented, adding that he was visiting cities and towns of the Commonwealth to let people see the Governor and to talk to him if they wanted to.

Andover was the first stop Wednesday as he started his tour of Essex county communities.

The chief executive drew up in front of the Town House just after 9:30 o'clock where he was greeted by a number of local citizens including Senator Philip K. Allen, Representative J. Everett Collins, Atty. Vincent F. Stulgis, chairman of the Republican Town committee; Miss Mary G. Bailey, Fred E. Cheever and Irving Whitcomb, members of the Republican Town committee; Roy F. Hardy, chairman of the Board of Selectmen; Alfred E. Gaunt of Methuen, member of the Governor's council from Essex county; Police Officer Roy A. Russell and others.

As he remained chatting with this group the party was joined from time to time by others with whom he enjoyed a few remarks, including Edward P. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Horace R. Thomas, Arthur E. Steinert, Arthur Helfetz, James E. (Continued on Page Four)

## Automatic System Speeds Telegrams

Andover began this week to receive the benefits of the new era of ultra-modern communications. Monday morning lines from the local telegraph office were cut in to the world's first automatic selective switching center at Boston, it was announced by Roger Camp, local Western Union manager.

With the new device manual relay of telegrams will be eliminated. Instead, when the operator at the local office starts sending a message, the switching center will automatically connect that office with the destination office.

Until this week, telegrams to and from Andover were subject to manual relaying at Boston where they were sorted by routing clerks and carried by girls to operators, who retyped them to another relay center on to their destination office.

Circuits from all other cities in the New England area are being connected to the new system one after another over a period of four weeks.



Having their ups and downs on the Shawsheen playground, and evidently enjoying it, are, from left to right, Dale Fletcher, Kirk Whitman, Allan Flye, June Porter, Louis LeTourneau and Joyce Sullivan. (Surette Studio)

## Postal Receipts Here Show \$36,889 Increase

Fiscal Year Figures Much Higher Than Year Ago, With Big Jump In U. S. Savings Bonds

## Hostel Group Plans Trip Here

Andover is the destination of a trip planned by the Greater Boston Council of American Youth Hostels for August 7 and 8.

This will be one of the weekend bike trips being arranged by the Hub organization. It will bring a group of young people here after a 20-mile ride which will start from the headquarters at Bow street, Cambridge.

The plans include time for a swim at Pomp's pond, bowling at the hostel and a square dance in the gym. These weekend trips are very popular and usually find a large number turning out to enjoy them.

## Military Escorts Needed By Army

Another call for about 100 specially qualified veterans to serve as military escorts for the return of World War II dead has been issued by General Courtney H. Hodges, First Army Commander.

The return to active duty will be on a volunteer basis for periods of six, nine or twelve (Continued on Page Twelve)

## Building Construction Nearing Million Mark

Permits Issued To July 31 Bring 1948 Local Figures Up To \$870,990

Building construction in Andover for the first seven months of 1948 has already topped the figure for the entire 12-months of 1947.

Records of Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman show the estimated cost of construction of new buildings in 1947 was \$689,452, and with \$100,150 for the cost of alterations and additions the year's total reached the sum of \$789,602.

For the period ending July 31 this year, the estimated cost of new building was \$806,390, plus \$64,600 as the estimated cost of alterations and additions, make the 1948 total \$870,990 for the seven months.

The estimated cost of other new building and alterations for the remaining five-month period of the year should bring the 1948 total well over the million dollar mark.

During the month of July the building inspector issued 15 permits for dwellings with an estimated building cost of \$141,700; seven permits for non-residential buildings with an estimated cost of \$53,800, and nine permits for additions and alterations with an estimated cost of \$24,750, a total of \$219,250 for the month.

Residence and garage permits were issued during the past month as follows:

Henry F. Beanland, lot 10, High street; Paul and Jaqueline Cheoney, Chestnut street; An-

## Playground Groups Enjoy Day's Outing

Four bus loads of youngsters from Andover's playgrounds enjoyed an outing Tuesday at Canobie Lake park under the supervision of members of the playground staff.

This annual event was one of the most enjoyable held in recent years. Attended with good weather the carefree lot of boys and girls had a whole day filled with diversified sport and entertainment which they will remember for a long time.

Each of the five town playgrounds was represented in the happy group that left just after 10 o'clock filling the buses with song and laughter as they went along.

Arriving at the park, headquarters were established in the dining hall at the ball park and in a short time the supervisors had a program of sport underway. The youngsters were taken in (Continued on Page Twelve)

dover Construction Co., Cuba street; Herbert Krauss, Beacon street; Ruth T. Stevens, 8 Virginia road; Walter P. Barrett, River road; Russell C. MacLeish, Shawsheen road; Robert F. Raichlen, Argilla road; William Stewart, High Plain road; Claude P. Woodworth, Vineland road; Harold A. Johnson, High Plain road; George Caines, Corbett street; Robert H. Nelb, Apple Tree lane; Raymond J. Lally, lot 14, Foster circle; George H. Moore, Sunset Rock road;

A permit for the construction of a gymnasium on Haverhill street was issued to Merrimack College;

Garage permits were issued as follows: Ray S. Youmans, Dacom and Lovejoy roads; Ray and Catherine H. Foss, 48 York street; Albert J. Retelle, River road; American Woolen Company, Shawsheen Village; Sherman W. Boutwell, 163 Shawsheen road; and Carlton W. Miller, 18 Fletcher street.

## Upward Trend In Relief Costs

A comparison of the town's relief costs for the first six months of this year, and for the same period in 1947 show a decided upward trend due, in most cases, to the higher cost of living.

The case load on general relief is no larger than last year, and at the present time there is no employable person aided in the Town of Andover. Due to increased cost of living, the first six months' aid to individuals has risen from \$4,070 back in 1947 to \$5,272 in 1948. Below is a comparison of 1947 and 1948 case loads, and costs to individuals aided under the Old Age Assistance law, showing the cost, the Federal grant for this period, and the return by the state. Federal grant money may only be used for Old Age Assistance, but money paid by the state is placed in our Free Cash account.

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## VIEWS OF THE NEWS

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shall Plan can be. Try to put yourself in the place of the Munich redcap who recently lugged three heavy bags from the station to a hotel four blocks away. From the American he served he requested three cigarettes as his pay. For the five he received he insisted upon further service. The American who casually gave five cigarettes, worth four cents American, learned later that those five actually one third of a month's pay barter for food and the like, ex-smokes represented, in exchange for that redcap! For a whole package of cigarettes the American could have bought that porter's willing and happy services for one month. The illustration seems irrelevant? What would be your attitude towards politics and the future if twenty cigarettes could so determine your existence? What of your sense of values?

Perhaps the Marshall Plan begins to mean more than a few extra dollars in taxes, or a mere sending of goods to Europe. It certainly means incredibly more to the European. It can certainly mean the recovery of self-respect, an ability to have time and mind for more than mere survival, and a good chance that the decency of democracy can replace the desperation of communism. Marshall Plan dollars work in curious ways unseen by taxpayers. Let us follow a few of the dollars, whether in grants or loans, and see the way that they will speed European reconstruction.

## Dollars Aid Recovery

Dollars to Austria will do more than enable her to buy American metals and foods. Some will be sent by Austria to Poland for vital coal. Poland will use those dollars to buy her requirements from the United States or to purchase from other countries who know that dollars are always exchangeable. The Netherlands and Britain will buy wheat from Canada, and those dollars will provide our northern neighbor with sorely-needed dollars for purchases in the United States. Germany will receive loans, will purchase fruits and oils from Italy, and thus help that country back on her feet. Nicaragua will get indirect assistance because France will spend dollars to buy seeds from that Latin-American country. On a world-wide scale we are duplicating our attempts of the 1930's to provide purchasing power to stimulate more production and thus provide more jobs.

A less evident aid to European reconstruction is that afforded by tobacco—an apparent luxury which Europeans are supposed to do without. In the early days of the discussion of the Marshall Plan, much criticism was heard about the waste of money in sending tobacco abroad as part of the Plan. Congress was criticized for serving the tobacco interests. Consciously or not, Congress was making a much greater contribution than providing the American grower with a profitable market.

The average taxpayer certainly did not suspect that his "tobacco dollars" would play a significant role in the reconstruction of Europe.

Tobacco "Reconstruction" Congress decided that nearly half a billion pounds of tobacco should be sent to Europe in the first year. Britain's share amounts to some 218,000,000 pounds, worth some \$120,000,000.

But as soon as that tobacco reaches British ports it is taxed at nearly \$12 a pound, a tax passed on to the consumer who pays 70 cents for a package of twenty cigarettes. Thus to the British Government that 218,000,000 pounds of tobacco represents nearly \$2,500,000,000 of clear income in the form of taxes to be used to balance the budget of government expenditures. And more than that. The British processors, the middlemen, the wholesalers, and the distributors have maintained jobs for workers and have made a profit. Almost equally important, the Government has taxed the consumer more than 60 cents a package and has thus drawn off from the consumer's pockets money that could

otherwise cause inflationary prices in scarce commodities. American tobacco has clearly done a great more than provide British workers with cigarettes.

What occurs with tobacco may also occur with other products sent to Europe. The processing and handling of foods and equipment bring profits to the business man, employs the people, and enables governments to tax profits and wages and thus receive income for governmental expenses. Great American Contribution

Your American dollar is doing far more than you realized. The Marshall Plan is not a mere incident devised in June 1947. It should go down in history as one of America's great contributions of the twentieth century. But don't let us be too hopeful of gratitude, for the European peasant and worker may have no more realization of the workings of the Plan than does the average citizen. He too may be unable to see our effort in proper perspective. The reward will be the satisfaction of a job well done. Let us see to it that it is well done.

## WEST NEWBURY THEATRE

The hilarious comedy hit "Arsenic and Old Lace," which played four years on Broadway before it was made into the movie, will open at the West Newbury Summer Theatre, Monday, August 9, following the current production of George Bernard Shaw's "Candida."

Shaw's brilliant dramatization of "The Eternal Triangle," the conflict of a married woman torn out of her dull comfortable existence by the love of a young poet—"Candida" will play through Saturday evening, August 7, starring glamorous Henrietta Moore and featured Broadway actor Michael Stanley. "Arsenic and Old Lace," which takes the stage Monday, is one of the funniest plays that has come out of Broadway in recent years. It kept the sophisticated Broadway audiences rolling in the aisles night after night for more than 200 weeks.

## AT THE LIBRARY

## RECORD HOURS

Next Tuesday, August 10 at 10:45 o'clock, there will be an hour devoted to the playing of records in the Young People's Library. All boys and girls are invited to attend. If these record periods continue to prove popular, it is probable that they will be held each Tuesday morning during August. Any boy or girl may suggest recordings from the library's collection to be played at these meetings.

## OLYMPIC GAMES

The 1948 Olympic games, recently gotten underway in London, after a lapse of twelve years, are a means of bringing us back in a rather dramatic fashion to ancient Greece, its games and Olympiads. Even today a flaming torch is brought by relay runner from the site of the ancient games, a present day symbol of the relationship of these modern games with their ancient counterparts. The ancient games died out in the fourth century A. D. and it was not until 1896 that the first of the modern Olympic games was held in Athens, revived by a Frenchman, Baron de Coubertin, who saw the games as a splendid means for promoting international understanding and friendship. A brief sketch of the ancient Greek games and a very interesting account of all the modern Olympic games since 1896 may be found in John Kieran's THE

STORY OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES, 776 B.C. to 1936 A.D. A complete list of Olympic champions 1896 to 1936, is included. The atmosphere and spirit of the early Greek games is well recreated in the chapter entitled The Olympic Games in Rostovtzeff's OUT OF THE PAST OF GREECE AND ROME and will repay anyone who takes the time to read it.

## NEW BOOKS

Among the new books added to the library are:

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his public career from 1911 to 1945. Over half the book is devoted to his years as Secretary of War during the World War II and contains his frank opinions and evaluations of many of the events of that period. Important for an understanding of these years.

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## PLAYGROUND

The tournaments are still in progress at the Shawsheen Playground but will come to a close August 6. There are quite a few children attending every day and they all keep busy with handicraft, sand building, quoits and other activities provided by their counselors, Miss Barbara Hill and Miss Kay Byrne.

The outcome of the dog show that was held last Friday afternoon is as follows: first prize, won by "Dutchie" attended by David Best; second prize, won by "Wiggles" attended by Maxine Wainwright; third prize, won by "Noble" attended by Joyce Sullivan; fourth prize won by "Buddy" attended by Gloria Stanley; and fifth, won by "Dick" attended by Joyce Sullivan.

## Schools

For the benefit of all parents inquiring as to the opening of the school in Shawsheen, the opening date as issued by the secretary in charge, is September 8.

## Personals

Miss Jane Lindsay of 6 Argyle street is spending the month of August at the summer home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Lindsay in Smithfield, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Andrew, Jr., of 14 Riverina road and their children, Teddy and Carol, are now vacationing at Falmouth on the Cape. Helen Andrew is spending her summer at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. John Calnan of 23 Arundel street and their daughters have just returned from a vacation at Biddeford Pool, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Rex of 24 Arundel street and their daughter, Suzanne, spent a week-end at Biddeford Pool, Maine, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan F. Dunlop of 20 Arundel street and their daughters are spending the summer at Cranston, Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy of 21 Arundel street have just returned to their home after spending three weeks at Seabrook Beach, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doherty of 15 Arundel street have just returned home after spending their vacation at East Harwichport.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Shulze and their daughters, Barbara and Nancy, of 1 Carlsbrooke street, are spending their vacation at Lord's Point, Stonington, Connecticut.

## Attend Exercises For New Hospital

Clergy from Merrimack College and St. Augustine's church assisted in the ground-breaking exercises for the Bon Secours hospital conducted Sunday afternoon by Archbishop Richard J. Cushing of Boston on the former Searles estate in Methuen.

In his sermon the archbishop commended the clergy and laity of Greater Lawrence for the spirit shown in raising funds for the work. Owing to increased costs, he pointed out, it will be necessary to augment this fund by further public subscription.

The original plan, he said, was for a hospital of 175 beds, a convent for 40 sisters and a school of nursing. The two latter projects are to be eliminated temporarily and the hospital will have 125 beds with the top floor reserved as a cloister for the sisters, cost of which will reach about \$2,000,000.

There is about \$1,000,000 in the present fund, the archbishop has pledged \$200,000 which he will have to raise, the sisters have pledged another \$300,000 from their other institutions and another half million will have to be raised. The archbishop expressed his confidence that this objective would be reached as readily as the original fund was obtained.

## PROBATE COURT

In approving the will of the late Mrs. Anne E. Selden in Probate court at Salem last week, Judge John V. Phelan appointed her husband, James K. Selden of school street, co-executor with E. Barton Chapin. The estate, valued at over \$100,000 was left in trust for Mr. Selden, and at his demise the principal is to go to two children, George Ford Selden and Miss Anne K. Selden.

## INVENTORY FILED

Personal property worth \$10,094 and realty appraised at \$40,250 were left by Emil M. Tichert who died July 20, 1946, according to an inventory filed in the Registry of Probate at Salem. According to the will \$2000 was left to grandchildren, \$1000 to a daughter-in-law, and the residue to Frederick E. Tichert, his son.

Joplin, Missouri, is located in a rich mining district, that produces lead, zinc and coal.

## Want "Birth Control" Question on Ballot

Final petitions asking that the medical rights or 'birth control' question appear on the Massachusetts election ballots in November were filed August 2, with the Secretary of State at the State House, Boston.

The petitions bore a total of 8429 certified signatures, an excess over the 5,000 voter-signatures required by law to place a referendum question upon the ballot. The signatures were collected by Planned Parenthood volunteers under the sponsorship of the Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts, and were solicited in 83 cities and towns throughout the state in which no signature campaigns were conducted last fall. The 1947 collection of signatures resulted in the filing of 80,230 signatures, making the completed petition total 88,659 signatures.

The question which voters may now expect to find on the November ballot will ask in effect: "Shall properly qualified physicians be allowed to prescribe medical contraceptive care to married women only, for the protection of the mothers' life or health?"

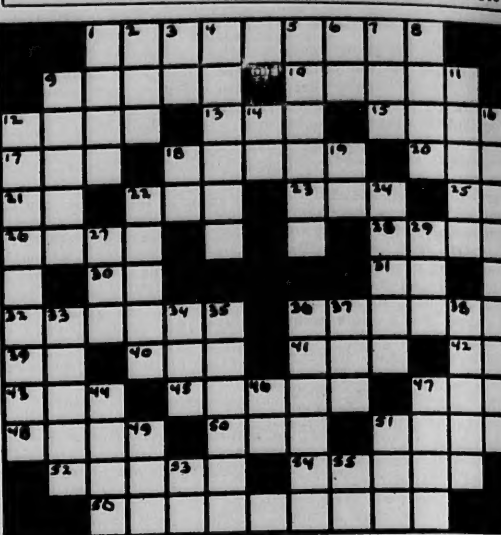
## CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE

Richard J. White, Jr., of Lynn, Register of Probate and Insolvency for Essex County, has filed his nomination papers for reelection. Register White was elected in 1946 to fill the unexpired term of his predecessor, the late William F. Shanahan of Swampscott, and now seeks the full six-year term. He is a veteran, a member of the bar association and a former state representative.

Atty. Benedict F. Fitzgerald, Jr., of Cambridge, has filed papers for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor. A former newspaperman and naval aviator he was the Democratic nominee for Secretary of State in 1946. He is a veteran and a member of several clubs.

Douglas Lawson, former president of the Republican club of Massachusetts and a Boston insurance executive, has announced his candidacy for the office of State Auditor. Educated at Harvard College, Burdett Business College and Oxford University, he is a veteran of the first World War.

## CROSSWORD ~ ~ ~ By A. C. Gordon



## ACROSS

- 1—Plant mechanics
- 9—To lop off superfluous branches or shoots
- 10—A constellation
- 12—To make tight
- 13—Roman 54
- 15—Countenance
- 17—Educated Agricultural Barons (abbrev.)
- 18—Climbing plants
- 20—Meadow
- 21—An authorized doctor's assistant (abbrev.)
- 22—Female deer
- 23—Grassland
- 25—Two things of a kind
- 26—Vessel for heating liquids
- 28—A kind of harrow
- 30—Old Ivy (abbrev.)
- 31—United Iris (abbrev.)
- 32—Nourishes
- 36—Flowers of Holland
- 39—Preposition
- 40—Young Aster Enterprises (abbrev.)
- 41—To soak fast
- 42—A plural suffix
- 43—To augment
- 45—To scatter seeds again

## In the Garden

- 47—Personal pronoun
- 48—A cultivated lilaceous plant
- 50—Moisture on the plants
- 51—Furnishes with strength
- 52—To elevate
- 54—Each, without exception
- 56—Common yellow flower
- 14—Roman numeral
- 16—This flower was named for a mythological youth who fell in love with his own reflection
- 18—Mythological maiden
- 19—Compass direction
- 22—The flower that "never tells"
- 24—Mature being
- 27—Correlative of neither
- 29—Roman numeral
- 33—Below
- 34—Listening device
- 35—Germinated flowers
- 36—Gardening implement
- 37—Union of Educated Wallflowers (abbrev.)
- 38—Genus of plants of the crowfoot family
- 44—Lifeless
- 46—Compass direction
- 47—Spun wool
- 49—Knowledge of internal Agriculture (abbrev.)
- 51—Form of the Latin "mine"
- 53—Chemical symbol for stannum
- 55—Roman numeral

## DOWN

- 1—To dig about in the garden
- 2—Abbreviation for a month
- 3—Registered Nurse (abbrev.)
- 4—Weeds the spade
- 5—Type of literature (pl.)
- 6—Comparative suffix
- 7—Edge
- 8—Important agent of plant growth
- 9—A young tree, shrub, or herb
- 11—Scottish turnips
- 12—A kind of plant that lives from year to year

(SOLUTION WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE 11)

## Governor Pays Visit to Town

(Continued From Page One)

Sheard, Donald Surette, George E. Haselton, Donald Look, Walter E. Billings, incoming president of the Essex County Associated Boards of Trade; and several town officials.

In the course of these informal chats with those about him, the Governor spent a few moments discussing low-rental housing for veterans with Chairman Hardy and learned that the local Housing Authority had applied for \$600,000 of state funds for buildings here.

To the representative of The Townsman he recalled the unusual coverage this paper had given the Republican National convention last month and his daily interviews there with Senator Allen and Frederick S. Allis, Jr., who were covering the Philadelphia story for The Townsman.

After some time in front of the Town House he started along Main street with Senator Allen and Atty. Stulgis acting as escort. As he sauntered along the sidewalk he was

greeted by many Andover friends, both afoot and in automobiles, and was introduced to numerous other men and women with whom he stopped for a few moments' chat.

Crossing Main street he stopped at John Murray's service station, met the employees there and engaged them in a short conversation.

Continuing along the street he met several groups of women, talked to them about their shopping, stopped youngsters, who shyly told him their names as he shook hands with them, and made frequent stops to exchange a few words with passers-by.

Returning to the Town House he found a large group of friends and officials waiting to enjoy a laugh at his expense when he discovered his car had been tagged for parking in a bus stop!

This meant posing for a picture with Officer Russell (who had nothing to do with the tag) and then bringing the best Bradford smile to the fore to get him out of his "predicament", he started away in the "S1" for North Andover and other Essex county stops.



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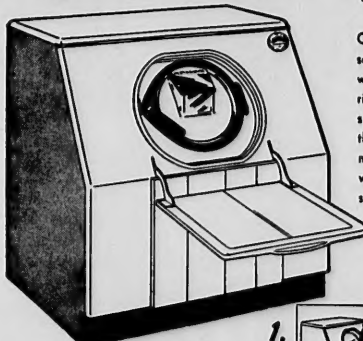
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I recalled this talk when brought a letter from Menlo Park, Calif.

"I think everyone has one of the greatest pitchers," Cobb writes, "Kid Nichols. Here are of his records from 1890

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"2. Won 29 or more 10 consecutive years and lost 202.

"3. Won 28 or more eight consecutive seasons

"4. Best three consecutive years of pitching percentage

"5. Only pitcher to average 24 wins per year in ten seasons."

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Aug. 9—Nature B uers of Aug. 5.

Aug. 11—Playoff. Standing

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I recalled this talk when the mail brought a letter from Ty Cobb at Menlo Park, Calif.

"I think everyone has overlooked one of the greatest pitchers of all time," Cobb writes. "His name is Kid Nichols. Here are just a few of his records from 1880 to 1906:

"1. Won three consecutive games on three consecutive days, all pitched in different cities.

"2. Won 20 or more games for 10 consecutive years. He won 360 and lost 202.

"3. Won 28 or more games for eight consecutive seasons.

"4. Best three consecutive years of pitching percentage.

"5. Only pitcher of note to average 24 wins per year at present distances."

Cobb also extends his admiration to Eddie Plank and Ed Walsh. "I'd take Ed Walsh as my first choice of all pitchers for a five-year period," he told me once. "He literally pitched his arm off in 1908 when he worked in 66 games, winning 40 and saving 12 others. Imagine being responsible for 52 victories?"

"It's hard to outrank Eddie Plank," Cobb said in his recent letter. "Plank worked in 620 games, won 324 and lost 190. He was a fine pitcher—smart and always packed with control. He wasn't as fast as Grove, but he was a tough man to beat."

One can be reminded again of the great pitchers Connie Mack brought along from Waddell, Bender and Plank to Combs, Grove, Earnshaw, Rommel and others — not overlooking Penneck and Bullet Joe Bush.

What manager ever dug up such left-handers as Eddie Plank, Lefty Grove, Herb Penneck and Rube Waddell, four of the greatest pitchers the venerated pastime has ever seen on display?

And today, the eminent Mr. McGillicuddy, aged 85, believes he has another staff just about as good as he had in those far off years.

### Mack's Ups and Downs

No one in baseball has ever

### PLAYGROUND BASEBALL

Owing to the closeness of the leading teams the second-half championship of the Playground Baseball league is as yet undetermined. According to present arrangements two more games are to be played, with the championship game coming next Wednesday.

### Results

Dodgers 5, Guild Vets 5.  
Guild Vets 10, Guild Stars 1.  
Nature Boys 3, Guild Vets 0.  
Game counted as a double win. Nature Boys scored first to be credited with a victory for the tie game played last week.

### Schedule

Aug. 5 — Guild Stars vs. Dodgers.  
Aug. 9 — Nature Boys vs. Winners of Aug. 5.  
Aug. 11 — Playoff.

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## Here and There In The Bay State

MELROSE — Traffic meters will be installed in Melrose and the Traffic Survey committee, headed by Supt. Glen S. Weeks, is completing an exhaustive study of all types in order to secure the best for Melrose.

LEXINGTON — The Town of Lexington is now in the midst of its heavy construction program, most of which was voted at the last annual town meeting.

known as many ups and downs, as many booms and dips, as many ascents and descents, as Connie Mack has known since he came to the American league in 1901.

Connie finished fourth his first year and then promptly won his first pennant in 1902, his second start. He won again in 1905, and two years later began breaking up or dismantling his winning squad for the first time.

He kept Bender and Plank, but got rid of Harry Davis, Lave and Monte Cross, plus a few others. In place of these he picked up Eddie Collins from Columbia, Stuffy McInnis from New England, Jack Barry from Holy Cross and "Home Run" Baker from a Maryland hamlet.

Connie finished second in 1906, missing the flag by a brief eyelash. By 1910 he had his greatest team—a team good enough to win the pennant four times from 1910 through 1914. The Red Sox with Smokey Joe Wood burning up the league won in 1912.

The debacle of 1914, when the Braves won in four straight, sent Connie back to work dispersing another flock of star athletes.

### String of Losses

Connie had broken up another club. It took him a long time to get back. He finished last in 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921. At that time he appeared to have an endless lease on the cellar.

Connie began to surge back in 1925, when he finished second. He was then 63 years old. But it was not until 1929 that he overhauled the Yankees and ruled the uplands for three years through 1932.

It was around 1933 that Mack began dismantling another club. He unloaded a freight car full of athletes on Tom Yawkey, the last including Robert Moses Grove and most of his stars.

This didn't help the Red Sox any, but it wrecked the Athletics. They finished last again eight more years through 1945 when their case looked to be hopeless.

Connie has finished last 15 or 16 times and next to last in many more occasions. He also finished first nine times.

He came up with a pretty fair ball club last season in his 84th year. At least they finished fifth. Then came the big surprise this season as the Mackmen, carried along by superior pitching and some timely hitting, moved out in front.

Where will the Athletics finish? October is a long hike off. But so far the Athletics have looked better than either the Yankees or Red Sox who were picked earlier to handle all the pace setting.

annual town meeting. The two largest building contracts are the Hancock school remodeling and the new Fiske school in the Adams street-Colony road area.

IPSWICH — The Town Finance committee approved a Veterans' Housing Authority request for the appropriation of \$500 at a meeting held at Town Hall Tuesday evening. The money is to be used for organizational and administrative expenses of the authority.

PLYMOUTH — Parking meters are being installed on the business streets of Plymouth and will be put into operation immediately. The Board of Selectmen stated that official date would be set for effective operation but that the meters would automatically go into use as soon as they are ready to operate.

MARSHFIELD — Heavy traffic, crowded beaches, drunken drivers and disturbances kept Marshfield police busy over the week-end with the result that Police Chief Marshall Burpee had six defendants in Third District Court Monday morning.

IPSWICH — Nine veteran firemen have been announced as judges for the parade and muster to be held at the annual Firemen's carnival on August 12, 13 and 14 at Linebrook Playground. The carnival is under the auspices of the Ipswich Firemen's Relief Association.

READING — Chief of Police Thomas Wall and his corps of officers are making a collection of air rifles. They already have a few that they have picked up around town. Any rifle in the hands of a small boy who doesn't know how to use it properly will be confiscated. Several dangerous practices with air guns have been noted but the most common misuse has been in the selection of street lights for targets.

BROOKLINE — Inaugurating a vigorous drive to secure compliance with regulations governing conduct of such establishments, the Selectmen this week called in for hearings twelve operators of lodging houses who have failed to provide a second means of egress required by the Health and Safety committee.

WELLESLEY — The Board of Selectmen conferred at length Monday evening with the committee appointed at the 1947 March Town Meeting to study the Town Manager form of government, this being the committee's first conference with heads of town departments.

HYANNIS — Parking meters, which went into operation here officially July 8, paid the town over \$1,800 through July 31, and at the time the last box was taken from a meter and transferred to the Town Treasurer's office, other pennies and nickels were accumulated to provide the next week's take.

GREAT BARRINGTON — In exactly 13½ minutes a special Town Meeting made a zoning change, appropriated \$8,000 for repairs to school ground walls, established a Housing Authority and voted \$500 for its expenses.

French settlers found their way into what is now the state of Minnesota shortly after the middle of the seventeenth century.

## Boats Appearing At Pomp's Pond

Visitors to Pomp's pond in the past few weeks may have noticed the increased boating activities in the waters near the bathing beach.

Noted in the past as a center for bathing and fishing it is now becoming a popular place for boating as more and more residents are using many types of floating craft there.

During the early morning hours fishermen frequent the beach with skiffs, dog-skiffs and canoes, while later in the morning many of the bathers hire the boats. Now and then some of the Army's surplus yellow rafts dot the pond with an occasional green craft of Girl Scouts from the nearby Camp Maude Eaton.

Recently Miss Dawn Dunn of Shawshen Village launched her 11-foot sailing sloop at Pomp's which, on breezy days, can be seen skimming over the waters.

The newer activities present an eye-filling scene with sailboats, canoes, kayaks, and occasionally a motor boat, cruising the waters at the beach where Andover residents may centralise their aquatic activities.

## Fruit and Vegetable Leaflets Available

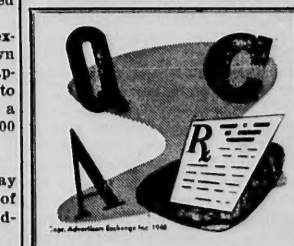
Two new Extension Service leaflets—for the backyard fruit grower and the commercial vegetable man—have just been made available free to Massachusetts residents by the University of Massachusetts.

"Dwarf Fruit Trees in the Home Garden" is the title of Leaflet No. A 243 prepared by J. K. Shaw, research professor emeritus of pomology, and written expressly for folks with a little land and a hankering for true fruit trees.

The leading dwarf stocks, hints on purchasing, soils, planting, management, pest control, and harvesting are covered in this leaflet.

Leaflet No. A 244, "Cabbage and Related Crops," was prepared for commercial vegetable growers by Paul W. Dempsey, research professor of horticulture at the Waltham Field Station. Cauliflower, broccoli, rutabagas, turnips, and kale are members of the cabbage family covered in this publication. Included are handy tables giving dates for setting plants, disease and pest control measures.

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## HAZARDS OF BERRY PICKING

From the Berkshire Courier we learn that 40 years ago one of John Wool's horses of Housatonic broke its leg while on Bear Mountain

Monday. The animal was left while the party picked berries and upon returning found the animal's foreleg broken. It had probably stepped into a hole.

And 30 years ago the Monday night band concert at Housatonic was omitted as the members had much new music to practice and many of them were tired after an all-day huckleberry trip the day before.

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### Arthur Howes Soloist In Next Organ Concerts

In the organ concerts at the Methuen Memorial Music Hall Friday and Saturday, Aug. 6 and 7, at 8:30 p. m., Arthur Howes, director of the Organ Institute and organist of Phillips Academy, will appear as soloist. He will be assisted by the Andover String Quartet, who will participate in the Saturday evening concert.

In his Friday program, Mr. Howes will play the great Fantasy and Fugue in G Minor by Bach, six of the eleven Chorale Preludes by Brahms, and Widor's Fifth Symphony for Organ. Saturday evening he will play the "Giant" Fugue, the "Gigue" Fugue, and four of the Great Eighteen Chorale Preludes by Bach, and a group of Chorale Improvisations by Karg-Elert. The Andover String Quartet will play Beethoven's Quartet in B flat, Opus 18, No. 6.

Tickets for all concerts in this series, which will take place at 8:30 p. m., Fridays and Saturdays through August 14, may be procured at the hall and reserved by writing to the Organ Institute, Box 50, Andover.

### SIGNALS OVER

The following story is being told in police circles. As a woman driver approached the square the officer held up his hand, but the car sailed right along and he had to blow his whistle to stop her. He went over to the car and politely inquired: "Lady, don't you know what I mean when I put up my hand?"

"I think I do," she replied just as politely. "I have been a school teacher for more than 25 years."

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### Japanese Beetle Control Methods

Grub proofing the lawn with DDT is the best long range method for keeping Japanese beetles under control, says Ellsworth H. Wheeler, extension entomologist at the University of Massachusetts.

Right now, though, the beetles are active and must be controlled by other methods. Mr. Wheeler lists the following recommendations:

1. Where fruits are about to ripen and on flowering plants which are about to open their blossoms use powdered derris or 4 per cent rotenone—1/2 ounce, which is about 3 tablespoonfuls, to each gallon of water. For dust use a rotenone dust, 1/2 of 1 per cent, or 1 per cent strength. Repeat applications whenever beetles return or a new dust for each group of newly opened blossoms.

2. Ordinary lime dusted or sprayed on the foliage will protect foliage from beetle attack so long as a white residue remains.

3. Where poisonous insecticides can be used, spray with DDT, using a 50 percent wettable powder at the rate of 2 tablespoonfuls to each gallon of water. If thoroughly applied, this spray is effective for 10 to 14 days.

4. If dust, use a 3 or 4 per cent DDT dust. Repeat as often as beetles return to plants.

5. Lead arsenate may be used at the rate of 3 tablespoonfuls to each gallon of water, plus some form of sticker or spreader such as wheat flour. Commercial spreaders may be purchased.

Special Note: Ferimate, zerlate, and similar materials are also effective repellents for the Japanese beetle and can be used on almost any kind of foliage with safety. Use these according to directions on the package.

Lillian Russell, noted American actress, was born at Clinton, Iowa, in 1862. She died in 1922.

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The Andover stringed quartet will play in the Saturday program. Tickets—Friday \$1.00 plus 20c tax. Saturday \$1.50 plus 30c tax—may be obtained at Kneupper & Dimmock's and Metro Music Center, Atwood's and Community Drug in Methuen, Temple's Radio in Andover.



Taking the summer out of summer at Pomp's Pond recently are members of the fair sex, from left to right, Marion White, Gloria St. Jean, and Connie Coleman; and the male contingent, from left to right, Scotty Ford, Ernest Avery, and Joe Byrne. (Surette Studio)

### PARTY SYMBOLS CREATED BY FAMOUS CARTOONIST

If newspaper readers picture this year's election as a tussle between an elephant and a donkey, it will be because a Bavarian-born Republican cartoonist in the 1870s needed a couple of handy symbols to peg the two major parties, according to Pathfinder.

It was Thomas Nast, famous cartoonist for "Harper's Weekly," who introduced the donkey January 20, 1870. Nast labeled it "The Copperhead Press" and used it to represent the northern remnant of the Democratic Party. The designation stuck. Democrats got to like it so well that so potent a party leader as William Jennings Bryan used his influence to make the donkey symbol semi-official.

On November 7, 1874, Nast also introduced the GOP elephant to designate the unwieldy and unpredictable Republican vote. Other lasting symbols born of Nast cartoons are the party whip and the Tammany Tiger, the latter a major factor in the downfall of Boss Tweed. So influential did Nast become that Ulysses S. Grant gave him major credit for his election to the Presidency.

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Dinner: 12:00-8:00  
Buffet Supper: 5:30-8:00

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### ANDOVER PLAYHOUSE

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — August 6, 7

Double Life Ronald Colman 2:05 5:20 Signe Hasso 8:40  
Wild West Eddie Dean 3:50 Louise Currie 7:05

SUNDAY, MONDAY — August 8, 9

Are You With It? Donald O'Connor 3:15 6:10 Olga San Juan 9:05  
Fighting Mad Joe "Palooka" Kirkwood 1:45 4:40 Leon Errol 7:40

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — August 10, 11, 12

Black Bart Yvonne DeCarlo 3:25 6:25 Dan Duryea 9:25  
Lost Moment Robert Cummings, Susan Hayward 1:45 4:45 7:45

FRIDAY, SATURDAY — August 13, 14

Letter From An Joan Fontaine 3:15 6:10 Louis Jourdon 9:05  
Unknown Woman Jackie Cooper 1:55 4:50 Jackie Coogan 7:45  
French Leave

### Boy Scouts

Troop 72—Free Church

The following scouts are at Camp Onway this week: Thomas Burnett, Arthur Schwarzenberg, Allen Schwarzenberg, Robert Grant, Richard Meadowcroft, Charles Simpson, and F. Douglas Hardy.

#### Camp Onway Notes

Thomas Wilkinson, Edward Dean and William Dean were awarded the coveted C. O. award for meritorious camping. All three scouts are from Troop 71 of Shawsheen Village.

The Life Saving Merit badge requirements were passed last week by Edward Dean, Peter Caswell, and Thomas Wilkinson of Troop 71 and Calvin Hatch of Troop 72.

Swimming Merit Badge tests were successfully passed by Everett MacAskill of Troop 71; Thomas Burnett and William Hood of Troop 72.

The following Andover scouts served as Patrol Leaders during the past week: In the Abnaki Unit No. 1, Thomas Burnett of Troop 72 was patrol leader of the Thunderbirds; Thomas Wilkinson of Troop 71, patrol leader of the Beavers; Calvin Hatch of Troop 72, patrol leader of the Ravens; and Edward Dean of Troop 71, leader of the Wolf Patrol; In Unit No. 3, Douglas Hardy of Troop 72 was leader of the Moose Patrol.

#### WINS RADIO CONTEST

Alfred Stewart of 116 Beverly street, North Andover was a winner of a radio this week in station WCCM's microphone sticker contest.

Each week a car bearing the WCCM sticker is spotted and the owner is given a free radio. To obtain a sticker, write or call WCCM in Lawrence.

#### MISS GOLDSMITH ON PROGRAM

Miss Besie Goldsmith of 60 Elm street, will make her second appearance on the Andover Garden Club radio series this Friday morning at 10:30 over station WCCM.

This time Miss Goldsmith will discuss methods of conservation in the garden.

### ANDOVER DRAFTEES HAVE TO REGISTER SOON IN LAWRENCE

In the establishment of the selective service system for Massachusetts, all Andover men will have to go to Lawrence to register for the draft.

Plans set up under the state's new organization call for 40 local boards in contrast to the 173 boards found necessary during the war years.

Andover was under board 3 which included Boxford and North Andover. Under the new system it will be in Local Board No. 8 with headquarters at Lawrence. This board will include former boards No. 3 of Andover; No. 79, 80 and 81 of Lawrence; and No. 100 of Methuen, with a total estimated registration of 8,184.

Gov. Bradford has nominated Colonel Chester A. Furbish, wartime director of the selective service system in Massachusetts, to again assume the duties of that position. State headquarters are located in the Navy building, 495 Summer street, Boston.

Registration will be conducted during the period of August 30 through September 18 in conformity with the Presidential proclamation.

#### WINDHAM PLAYHOUSE

A. Everett Austin, producer at the Windham Playhouse has announced one of the most favorite stage plays of all times, "Peg O' My Heart" starting Wednesday evening, August 4th and continuing through Sunday evening, August 8th. This popular comedy has probably been performed more times and in more places than any other play in recent years. The heart-warming humor and quick witted honesty of "Peg" has made her a favorite with people young and old.

Director Elizabeth Kimball has chosen the appealing Miss Judith Love to portray "Peg," and many of the Windham actors including Jack Ewing, Fred Baril, and William MacDougall will also appear. Slated to make her debut at Windham in "Peg O' My Heart" is the new Hollywood starlet Ilyana Langdon.

Curtain time is 8:30 for evening performances, and there will be a special afternoon performance on Saturday, August 7th at 2:30.

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### PERSON

Miss W. Ann Plackin  
Main street is recuperating  
a recent operation at a  
hospital in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. William  
and family of Stafford  
cantonment at Seabrook B.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank  
Punchard avenue have  
from a motor trip to V.  
New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul C.  
have started building of  
home at 76 Chestnut st.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester  
Chestnut street have re-  
a vacation in New Han-

Miss Eunice Stack  
street is enjoying a  
Nantasket Beach.

Among the local vaca-  
Seabrook Beach are the  
Farragher family of C.

Mr. Farragher is com-  
the Andover office of the  
Gas and Electric compa-

Mrs. Gilbert Stone is  
annual two weeks' va-  
the office of Smart and

Michael Belka of Red-  
has returned home af-  
business trip to New Y.

Mrs. Joseph Hart  
street recently spent  
friends at Rye Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb  
Johnson Acres are vaca-  
ing August at Kenneb-  
Mr. and Mrs. Rich-

of Main street have re-  
vacationing at Goose R.

Mrs. Addie Trow  
street spent the past  
the home of her son,  
of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ever-  
Park street are vacati-  
the month of August, a  
mer home at Hampton

are accompanied by  
mother.

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## PERSONALS...

Miss W. Ann Plackna of South Main street is recuperating after a recent operation at St. Joseph's hospital in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simeone and family of Stafford road are vacationing at Seabrook Beach, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brigham of Punchard avenue have returned from a motor trip to Vermont and New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Cheney, Jr., have started building on their new home at 76 Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holland of Chestnut street have returned from a vacation in New Hampshire.

Miss Eunice Stack of Summer street is enjoying a vacation at Nantasket Beach.

Among the local vacationers at Seabrook Beach are the Augustine Farragher family of Carmel road. Mr. Farragher is connected with the Andover office of the Lawrence Gas and Electric company.

Mrs. Gilbert Stone is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation from the office of Smart and Flagg, Inc. Michael Belka of Red Spring road has returned home after a short business trip to New York.

Mrs. Joseph Hart of Whittier street recently spent a day with friends at Rye Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Velt of Johnson Acres are vacationing during August at Kennebunk, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Douglas of Main street have returned from vacationing at Goose Rocks, Maine.

Mrs. Addie Trow of Whittier street spent the past weekend at the home of her son, Henry Trow of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ward of Park street are vacationing during the month of August, at their summer home at Hampton Beach. They are accompanied by Mrs. Ward's mother.

James MacMeekin, formerly of Salem street, and now residing in

Ottawa, Canada, is renewing acquaintances in town, during the summer vacation.

Mrs. Sidney Lamb and Sidney, Junior, formerly of Andover and now of Quebec, Canada, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Lamb's mother, Mrs. John Greenhow of Main street.

Allen Lelacheur of 34 Elm street has returned to his duties at the Simeone Pharmacy after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson of Elm street are enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Hampton Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Whitcomb of Main street terrace have returned from a two weeks' vacation at York Beach, Maine.

Madeline Fitzgerald, popular clerk at the Irma Beene Shop is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter and Nathaniel Chadwick of Main street terrace and Randy Gesing of Foster's pond enjoyed a motor trip through Maine recently.

Among the vacationers from the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance office are: Mrs. Evelyn Quigley and Fred Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster of Red Spring road have returned home after a three weeks' vacation at their summer home at Lake Winnepesaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Woodhead of Elm street recently toured the Connecticut Lakes region in New Hampshire.

The Rev. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr., of the Free church accompanied by their son Tertius are enjoying a motor trip through Maryland and Virginia. They plan to visit Mr. Reynolds' parents en route.

Mrs. Rita Cronin and daughter, Peggy, and Miss Alice Stack of Summer street have recently enjoyed a vacation at Hampton Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Nichols and family of Walcott avenue have returned from a month's vacation at Drake's Island, Maine.

Miss Patricia Naughton daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Naughton, 38 Florence street left Friday, July 30 for a month's visit with her cousins Mrs. Alexander at Fort Worth, Texas. She is making the trip by motor and plans to see points of interest on the way.

Miss Mae Naughton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Naughton, 38 Florence street is spending

vacation at the Sea Breeze Hotel, Block Island, Rhode Island. Mr. and Mrs. George Symonds and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Folley attended the St. Louis and Braves baseball game in Boston, Saturday, July 31.

Mrs. Frank Buttrick of High street, who has been spending the month of July at the Hotel Langford, Cape Porpoise, Maine, has gone to Seabrook, N. H., for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Stratford road enjoyed a motor trip to Kennebunkport, Maine, last week.

Porter Smith of the Andover Inn has returned from a trip to Maine.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert E. Hulme of Main street have returned from a two-weeks' vacation at Goose Rocks, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Christison of Burnham road are spending a week at Cold River camp, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton spent a few days recently at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

Miss Barbara Loomer of Summer street has been enjoying a few days in Maine.

Miss Clara Baldwin of 22 Summer street is visiting her niece, Mrs. Richard Froloch of Portland, Maine.

Miss Anne Harnedy of Summer street has been visiting friends at Bath, Maine.

Mrs. Carrie Norton of Elm street is spending the month of August at Rye Beach, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Cole and daughter, Constance, of High street, and Miss Eleanor Kruschwitz of North Andover spent the weekend at Long Lake, Bridgton, Maine.

John A. Markey, son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Markey of 52½ High street, is enrolled at Indiana University for the summer session.

The Misses Beverly and Sandra Bassett, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Walden Bassett of Oradell, New Jersey, have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bassett of Hidden road.

Miss Elizabeth Boyce, librarian at the Phillips Academy library, has accepted a position at Brown University, Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bushway of South Main street, and daughter Shirley, have returned from a week's vacation motor trip to Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander M. Blamire and son, Alex, of 49 Enmore street, are at Salisbury Beach for two weeks.

## Obituaries

MISS CLARA R. BOYNTON

The funeral of Miss Clara R. Boynton of 119 Main street, one of the town's oldest and best known residents who died July 27, was held Friday afternoon from the Lundgren funeral home. Services were conducted at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. John G. Gaskill, pastor of the West church, assisted by the Rev. Newman W. Matthews, pastor emeritus of the church, and the Rev. James A. Richards, D.D., retired, of Bridgton, Maine, a cousin of the deceased. Burial was in the West Parish cemetery. Bearers were: Herbert Carter and Louis S. Finger.

MISS LILLIAN M. FRENCH

Funeral services for Miss Lillian M. French, an Andover native who died in Lawrence July 27, were held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Lundgren funeral home by the Rev. John G. Gaskill, pastor of the West Parish church. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

PVT. THOMAS J. CAMPBELL, JR.

Full military honors were accorded Pvt. Thomas J. Campbell, Jr., formerly of Andover, who was killed in action in Italy March 24, 1944, when his funeral was held from the M. A. Burke funeral home Saturday morning. A requiem high mass was celebrated in St. Patrick's church, Lawrence, at 10 o'clock with the Rev. William E. Culhane, celebrant. Delegates of the local veterans' organizations attended. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

The bearers were: Robert Donaghey, George St. Jean, Edward Kirwin, John Elder, William Campbell and George Spanks.

The color guard from Andover: Liam Hulse, P. C., Francis O'Connor, Hector Keith, Sr., William post, 2128, V.F.W., included William Lahey and William Eldred.

The firing squad: Peter Gervais sergeant at arms, in charge; George Milne, Thomas Eldred, Charles Sanborn, Norman Auchterlonie, George Brackett, William Benson, William Holland and Branton Davey. Barbara Folley was bugler.

Sgt. James Rennie, U. S. Army military escort, and William Hulse, V. F. W., folded the flag which was presented to the deceased's mother.

## Town Topics

The guidance office at Punchard High school will be open afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock, Bernard M. Kellmurray, guidance director, announces.

The contract for installing sewage facilities at Burnham and Dufton roads has been awarded to the contracting firm of Lewis and Scott by the Board of Public Works.

A card party sponsored by Court St. Monica 783 Catholic Daughters of America and held at the home of Miss Katharine A. McNally of 11 Summer street Saturday, August 7, will begin at 2:30 p. m. sharp. Valuable prizes including a door prize will be awarded. Members are requested to bring their own playing cards. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Margaret D. Manning and Miss Margaret Lane of the library staff are enjoying their annual vacation.

Virginia Hardy of 113 Chestnut street was one of the 58 students awarded Dean's List honors at Middlebury College on the basis of their grades during the last semester.

The names of two men eligible for appointment to the police force were announced Wednesday by the Massachusetts Civil Service commission. They were: Russell H. Berthel, 172 Elm street and Warren A. Maddox, River road.

## Births

LANE—A son, Dennis, July 31 at the Lawrence General hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lane (Rosemary Eldredge) of 4 High Plain road.

NANGLE—A daughter July 31 at the Lawrence General hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. George Nangle (Rita Perry) of 3 Ayer street.

KEW—A son, July 31, at St. Joseph's hospital, Lowell, to Mr. and Mrs. Loring R. Kew, Jr., of Andover street, Tewksbury. The mother is the former Elizabeth Wallace of Lowell street, West Andover.

VALENTINE—A son August 3 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald M. Valentine (Flora Ralby) of 53 Red Spring road.

The United States Department of Labor was created in 1913, during the administration of President Woodrow Wilson.

## At The Churches

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## Engagement

Hanna—Pucci

Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Pucci of 86 A Bennington street, Lawrence, announce the engagement of their daughter, Teresa Marie, to Laurence J. Hannan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence J. Hannan of 63 High street. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Pucci, a graduate of Lawrence High school, attended the McIntosh school and is employed in the chemical laboratory of the Tyer Rubber company. Mr. Hannan, a Navy veteran of 41 months' service, is a graduate of Punchard High school and is employed in the sales department of the Tyer Rubber company.

## MARRIAGE RETURNS

In the July 29 issue of the Townsman two marriage returns were inadvertently confused. Following are the correct returns:

William Hopewell Kirkpatrick, Allston road, North Reading and Jean Irene Fowler, 40 York street, were married Sunday, July 25 in the rectory of St. Augustine's church by the Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O. S. A.

John Cornelius Brennan, 12 Brook street and Kathleen T. Keenan, 22 Park street, Lawrence, were married Sunday, July 25, in the St. Lawrence O'Toole church by the Rev. Leo J. McCarthy.

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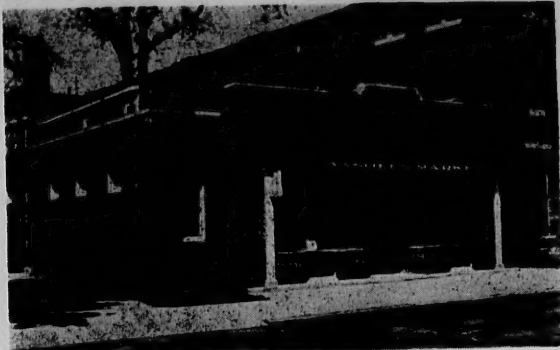
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## Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 224,635

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of John V. Mahony late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Alice J. Mahony of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of September 1948, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (7-29, 8-5, 12)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 212,743

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Martha L. McPherson late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Marion R. McPherson and others, excluding any property over which said Martha L. McPherson had a power of appointment under the will of David B. McPherson, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex.

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their first account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of September 1948, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (7-29, 8-5)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 212,743

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Martha L. McPherson late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Marion R. McPherson and others, consisting only of property over which said Martha L. McPherson had a power of appointment under the will of David B. McPherson, late of Newton, in the County of Middlesex.

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RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (7-29, 8-5)

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 212,743

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Martha L. McPherson late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance its first and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of September 1948, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (7-29, 8-5)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 143,545

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of William M. Wood, Junior late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Edith R. Wood (now Porter) and others.

The trustee of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance its thirteenth account inclusive.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of September 1948, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (5-12-19)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 224,701

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph H. Blunt late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Jean David Blunt of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

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Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (5-12-19)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 224,700

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Sarah Blunt Chandler, otherwise known as Sarah B. Chandler, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Jean David Blunt of Andover in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

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RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register (7-29, 8-5)

## REALTY TRANSFERS

The following real estate transactions have been recorded at the registry of deeds in Lawrence:

Wilfred D. Moriarty to Inhab. of Town of Andover, High street.

Henry F. Beanland et ux to Inhab. of Town of Andover, High street.

Alfred E. Stearns to Alfred E. Stearns et al, Locke street.

Inhab. of Town of Andover to Henry F. Beanland et ux, High street.

David W. Crandall to Elin Pospolitak, Ballardvale, Hill Crest road.

George W. French, Jr. to Jennie F. Perkins, "Ballardvale" Dale street.

Jennie F. Perkins et conj. to Frank L. Davis et ux, "Ballardvale" Dale street.

Mary E. Hardy to Helen Hardy Cooper, River road.

Edythe G. Berry, Gdn. to W. Alfred Dobbs, Pine street.

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Robert E. Look et al to Percy J. Look, Main street.

William R. Edwards et ux to Aletha C. Hayward, "Shawsheen Village" Carlsbrooke street.

Stephen Delisle, est. to John A. Donahue et ux, Greenwood road.

Jesse Crompton et ux to Alexander Blamire, Jr. et ux, Walker avenue.

Max Geller to William S. Faris et al, Dufton road.

Francis Homer Foster to Eileen L. Govoni, near Foster's pond.

Elizabeth B. Downing Sargent et al to Charles A. Shattuck et ux, Summer street.

Julia Kelm Weldman Johnson et ux to Walter M. Sullivan et ux, Porter road.

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## 45-AND-OVER GROUP HEALTHIER, HAPPIER THAN EVER BEFORE

CHICAGO — Scientific research today came up with a couple of new ones, to bless mankind.

It reported, first, that 1 out of every 3 persons in the United States is 45 years old, or older. That's about 50 million Americans, leans.

It reported, second, that this old age group is larger and healthier than ever before, because of improved health habits, especially sound nutrition. Ten years ago there were approximately 30 million in this age group; at the turn of the century there were only about 23 million.

And it is reported, third, that these 50 million can live longer, and be happier, if they improve their eating habits.

A survey is geriatrics (that's what the science of caring for the aging is called) by the National Dairy Council, which is a non-profit teacher of sound nutrition through schools and clinics and consumer groups, reveals these things and gives some practical hints on how to live longer and have more fun in living.

In a technical publication for doctors and dentists and health workers, the Dairy Council points out that older folks tend to eat less, because they need less physical energy. But they eat less of all foods, instead of selecting the right foods to eat.

Also, says the Dairy Council, older folks need more and more calcium. Because there's a "mark-

ed demineralization of the skeleton at the age of 50," particularly in women. Folks get calcium principally from milk, cheese and ice cream. Older people need the generous amounts of protein also supplied by these dairy products.

So, for the 50 million, here are science's recommendation for longer life:

1—Cut down on calories—easy on sweets and rich foods. You don't need that energy anyway.

2—But drink more milk, and eat more fruits, vegetables, and other protective foods.

If you follow these two rules, the Dairy Council adds, you'll have a buffer against those bad days we all face in age—"because healthy aging people maintain their ability to store, and benefit from, the nutrients in the diet if they are supplied in adequate amounts."

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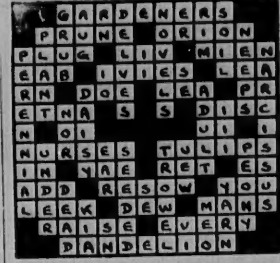
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## Playground Groups Enjoy Day's Outing

(Continued From Page One)

age groups, first the boys and then the girls, and sent through a list of competitive events.

During the day free ice cream and tonic were distributed as well as pop corn and candy, all of which disappeared as rapidly as it could be placed before the youngsters.

With the sports program completed the boys and girls visited the amusement places and other forms of entertainment at the park, spending several enjoyable hours on rides and other amusements.

The return trip was made late in the afternoon and all returned tired but happy after a memorable day which will go down in local playground history as one of the most successful ever conducted by the staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Scheidecker and baby daughter, Frederica, of Somerville, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Scheidecker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Hardy of Chestnut street.

Miss Margaret MacLachlan of 26 Pasho street is spending the summer with her brother-in-law and sister, the Rev. and Mrs. Allan Gibson of Chester, Nova Scotia.

## Upward Trend In Relief Costs

(Continued from Page One)

| Old Age Assistance 1947 |           |             |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Month                   | Case Load | Cost        |
| January                 | 148       | \$ 8,843.00 |
| February                | 146       | 8,778.00    |
| March                   | 150       | 8,788.00    |
| April                   | 157       | 7,010.00    |
| May                     | 154       | 7,116.00    |
| June                    | 156       | 6,990.00    |
|                         |           | \$41,525.00 |
| Less Federal Grant      |           | 20,013.00   |
|                         |           | \$21,512.00 |
| Less State Grant        |           | 14,889.00   |
|                         |           | \$6,623.00  |
| 1948                    |           |             |
| Month                   | Case Load | Cost        |
| January                 | 164       | \$ 7,995.00 |
| February                | 161       | 7,935.00    |
| March                   | 160       | 7,892.00    |
| April                   | 161       | 8,225.00    |
| May                     | 155       | 7,770.00    |
| June                    | 155       | 7,731.00    |
|                         |           | \$47,548.00 |
| Less Federal Grant      |           | 21,820.00   |
|                         |           | \$25,728.00 |
| Less State Grant        |           | 17,858.00   |
|                         |           | \$7,870.00  |

Above figures are for direct grants to individuals, and do not include administration expenses.

All forms of relief have shown an upward trend, not in cases aided, but in budget increases reflecting the higher cost of living. Chapter 638 of the General Laws of 1948, effective September 14, 1948, provides for a semi-annual adjustment of assistance grants by a percentage figure to be determined by the Division of Standards and Necessaries of Life, effective as of October 1, 1948. At that time, it will probably be necessary for the Town to increase all relief grants.

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Two of the budding pugilists of Ballardvale, who appear to have all they can do to hold up the gloves, are Allan Smeltzer, left, and Fred Lawrence. Frank Donovan, referee, is watching warily so that he can "duck" a wild swing. James McGrath, not in photo, was timekeeper. (Surette Studio)

## Traffic Signs Aid Good Driving

Motorists wise should use their eyes.

But not all of them do, the National Safety Council says, and as a result there are a lot of accidents from failure to heed traffic signs and signals.

The Council is making a special effort to call the nation's attention to the importance of highway markings with a "Signs of Life" educational program. State and city officials and other interested agencies are cooperating.

"Signs and signals are among the biggest helps to safe driving," said Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Council. "They give drivers warning of the dangers that lie ahead. But they are worthless unless they are seen and obeyed. It is only when signs are heeded that they really become 'signs of life.'"

The Council said the safe driver will follow these signposts:

1. Give signs, signals and markings the same respect you would a traffic officer. Here's one place you may lose if you cheat.
2. Reduce speed and be on guard when you see a diamond-shaped sign (this shape carries a warning) or a round sign (this signifies a railroad crossing is ahead).
3. Come to a complete stop at an eight-sided or octagonal sign. This shape means only one thing—stop!
4. Know what an oblong sign says. This shape carries regulatory messages such as speed limit.
5. Heed the cross-buck sign at

## Unaware of Missing Girl's Intended Visit

In the inquiry into the disappearance of Ruth Eisenberg, 22-year-old nurse missing from her Connecticut home since July 20 when she started on her vacation, Robert Look of Main street has been quoted as saying he had no knowledge that she intended to visit him at Chocoma, N. H., where he is employed for the summer.

Her boy friend, a Newton, Conn., young man, told authorities that Miss Eisenberg bought a Bridgeport, Conn., to Portsmouth, N. H., railroad ticket, but B. & M. officials said that they could find no record of such a ticket being turned in.

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## No-Meat-Week Starts Mon. August 9

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Protest further increase in the cost of living by  
Refusing To Buy Meat Next Week!

## Write Your Congressmen !!

Tell them how high prices affect YOU!

Edith Nourse Rogers House Office Building  
Leverett Saltonstall Washington, D. C.  
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. Senate Office Building  
Washington, D. C.

—have all voted against amendments which would strengthen the present weak "anti-inflation" law, and make it effective in controlling the cost of FOOD AND BASIC COMMODITIES.

**HURRY!!** Congress may adjourn next week!  
Your Congresswoman and Senators want your vote in November.  
Tell them TODAY to support the anti-inflation legislation now before Congress!

## Recalls Early Life Of Miss Boynton

Some of the older readers of the Townsman will be glad to have something more about Miss Boynton, whose death was reported last week.

She was born in the West Parish eighty-nine years ago. Her parents were Benjamin Boynton and his wife Sarah Bardwell Richards. Her mother was born in India, the daughter of missionaries but she was educated in this country. Her mother and Dr. Richards of Andover, who died in 1903, were cousins.

Miss Boynton was educated in the schools of the town including Pynchard Free school as it was then. She was a member of the West church for seventy-four years. She and Miss Lucia Merrill, the daughter of the minister of the West church, went to Georgia to teach in a missionary school. Later on, she was a governess at Fisk University for a number of years.

After retirement from active life, she lived for some time in Philadelphia, spending her summers in Andover. Later still, she made her permanent home here, living for several years in the Caronell Apartments. For the past three years she was in the Col-loten Rest Home. At the funeral service Mr. Gaskill read a poem she herself had chosen. She out-lived almost all the contemporaries of her early life. She was beloved by all who knew her. N. M.

## Military Escorts Needed by Army

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months as the veteran elects. The rate of pay per diem, while traveling as escorts, has been increased from \$5.00 to \$7.00. Rank and pay will be determined by prior service, former rank and personal qualifications. Applicants, however, must be in the first five grades.

Men of the highest caliber and qualifications are needed for the assignment, because of the high purpose and solemn dignity of the services accorded the men who gave their lives in action. The Army is looking for men with tact, judgment and initiative.

Accepted applicants will be assigned to Distribution Centers at Brooklyn Army Base and Schenectady. The men will serve in the United States only and will not be subject to overseas shipment. Applications should be addressed to the Reservist's Unit Instructor.

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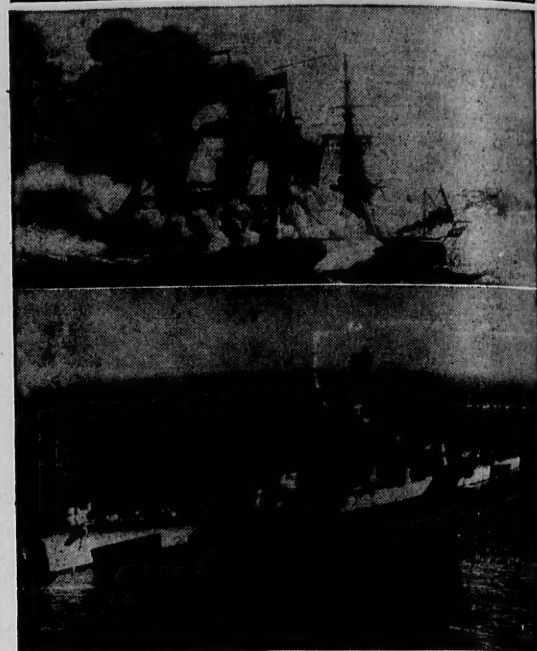
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Franz Grocery Store  
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Sullivan's Grocery Store  
61 Essex Street  
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Balmoral Spa  
295 North Main Street  
Shawshen Market  
Riverina Road  
**BALLARDVALE**  
O'Brien Variety Store  
Andover Street

Reno, Nevada, is farther west than Los Angeles, California.

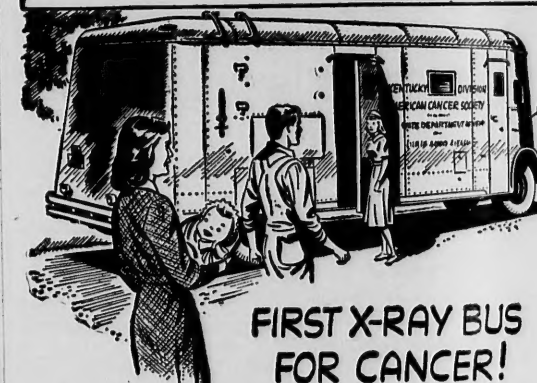
Sanford, Florida, is one of the great celery markets in America.

## SEA FIGHTERS CHANGE ARMOR - - NOT HEARTS



From the inception of the Navy Department a century and a half ago American warships have vastly changed from wooden frigates and privateers to steel-hulled battleships, cruisers, and carriers, but the will to fight in defense of America has undergone no transition. The veteran USS GUERRIERE in 1812, rests in retirement in Boston, content to repose the security of her country today in such craft as the USS Alaska (lower), American version of the German pocket battleship. Construction began on the Alaska 10 days after the Pearl Harbor attack, yet she had ample time to participate in many strikes against the Japanese in World War II. (Official Navy Photograph)

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## VIEWS OF THE NEWS

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With Turkey as the history is repeating its international political 1948. The backdrop may be altered, some of the be played by new actors stage is the same, and still walk before us. Greece and France have today back to the position studies, while the United becomes the protagonist Russia. The Czarist dream may have given way to hammer and sickle, but interests in the Mediterranean main what they have at least one hundred years.

In the nineteenth century, a despotic and harsh ruler, controlled a vast Austria-Hungary. Out were many western nations' ruthlessness in the they were nevertheless concerned with Russian's to take over the kish Dardanelles and to the Eastern Mediterranean aided Greece in 1820's but joined France in the Crimean War against the 1850's. For the 19th Century Russian interests of Britain could not c Russian expansion in the completion of Canal by 1870, and of what Great Britain as her vital "life-line" brought into closer the threats of Russian When Russia defeated 1878, and secured on the Dardanelles, Germany at the of Berlin to take away of victory. As a consequence

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## Lowell Dollar Friday, Saturday

Mid-summer Dollar be held in Lowell Friday, August 13 and the auspices of the Merchants Association of Lowell, Commerce.

Values to be offered in the Lowell stores cooperative event on favorably with those of lar Days. Definitely re as a semi-annual affair lar Days, unlike other merchants to plan which is to the advantage buyers.

Shoppers are assured reasonable and satisfactory chandise in Lowell stores lar Days are no exception. All participating offer attractive and tempting merchandise two days.

The official Dollar are distinctly set apart al Dollar Day posters displayed in the w throughout the store such stores will be be available and unusual savings be obtained

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